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Sound reproducing apparatus and method of identifying positions of speakers

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TITLE: SOUND REPRODUCING APPARATUS AND METHOD OF IDENTIFYING POSITIONS OF SPEAKERS

which is described and claimed in the specification: a. X attached hereto; b. \_\_\_\_\_ filed \_\_\_\_\_ as U.S. Patent Appln. Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_ and amended on \_\_\_\_\_; c. \_\_\_\_\_ identified by the Assignee as reference number \_\_\_\_\_ and assigned ATTORNEY DOCKET NUMBER YAMA:138.

I hereby declare that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above, and hereby acknowledge the duty to disclose information of which I am aware which is material to this application for patent on the invention described in the above-identified specification in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.56.

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